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RAIL ROAD MAIL. TIME FOR THE MAILS ON THE CHATTANOOGA R.R. Leave Nashville at 7 A.M. and 6 P.M. Arrive at Nashville at 7 A.M. and 6 P.M.

THURSDAY MORNING, SEPT. 13. THE WEATHER.—Yesterday was an exceedingly warm day, the sun shining out in unclouded fervency. For September the weather may be said to be fully up to the season in point of calor.

RIVER NEWS.—The river was receding slowly yesterday. The only arrival was the *Nettle Miller*, from Paducah. She will probably leave to-day.

THE R. L. Cobb left yesterday for Cincinnati.

MECHANICS' FAIR.—The ladies will please recollect that the meeting of those of the sex disposed to take an interest in the approaching Mechanics' Fair and Exhibition, will take place this evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, at 4 o'clock. The object is to have arrangements to manage to the best advantage, the Ladies' Department of the Exhibition, and to appoint committees to promote by all means, the general success of the enterprise. We hope to see a large attendance of the ladies of the city this evening.

THE THEATRE.—Manager Green has made his arrangements to open the Theatre with a new company on the 24th. We are advised that the season will present an array of talent never before exceeded in this city. No pains or expense will be spared to make the Adelphi attractive. The long drought of rational amusements in the city has been severely felt, and we predict a profitable season to the manager.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—This institution, under the charge of Messrs. WEBER & HESS, opened on Tuesday with fifty pupils—an excellent beginning and one which ensures its success. Having been disappointed in their expectations of obtaining a more suitable place, the sessions of the Academy will be held for the present in the basement of the Christian Church on Cherry street.

RECORDS OF COURT.—Barney Boyd attracted the attention of the corporation officers by the manner in which he conducted himself. He had evidently been imbibing, or he would never have exhibited his pugilistic propensities upon a female. He was embarrassed, and upon examination, fined \$10 and costs. He departed in a bad humor, cursing the officer as a "tam nothin'."

Lafayette Sande was committed to the city yards yesterday for an assault and battery upon a woman, where he will have the pleasure of breaking rock for exercise.

Lafayette Hundley was running in the same track, and he was fined \$5 and costs, and in default of payment sent to the work house for eleven days.

SPONTANEOUS RAILROAD CASE.—John Cauden, arrested for throwing rocks at the train on the N. & C. R. R., was examined yesterday before Esquire Ferris, and judgment withheld by the Court until to-day.

Our Public Schools.—The following communication was handed us yesterday by a member of the Board of Education, in reply to a communication in our paper of Wednesday morning, signed "—":

The Board of Education has notified a communication in the *True Whig*, of yesterday, headed—"Our Public Schools, Teachers, &c.," signed with an asterisk.

The writer says that "Friends of the free school system who had watched the experiment closely and critically, day by day, during the late session, 'with interest, though disappointed, still looked with confidence to the experience of another session. That session has now commenced, with an increased number of pupils, but the Board of Education have departed from the proper rule which governed them heretofore. They have made a step backward, the evil consequences of which may well be feared. After examining an individual who sought employment as a teacher, and rejecting him as incompetent, they have reversed their decision and given him a class."

The writer further says, that "a friend of the system, and as a parent having children in the schools, I enter my protest now, at the first moment, against the above mentioned departure from the standard of qualifications for teachers."

COMMERCIAL REGISTER. WEEKLY REVIEW OF THE MARKET. TRUE WHIG OFFICE, NASHVILLE, SEPT. 13, 1855.

The weather for the past week has been very favorable for the maturing of the corn, cotton and tobacco crops. The rains have been comparatively light with a warm sun.

The river has been up to over six feet on the shoals since our last weekly report, but has been slowly receding for a day or two, and there are now only about 4 1/2 to 5 feet.

Business continues quite brisk in all departments of trade. Our wholesale Dry Goods merchants, especially, are entertaining a host of customers from all parts of Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia, and we are glad to learn are giving great satisfaction.

The produce trade continues to form an important item in our business, and is giving employment to a large force.

In the Grocery department trade is quite as active as heretofore, and we notice no change in prices of any moment.

COTTON.—The new crop has not commenced coming in yet, and we have no transactions to report.

Tobacco.—We hear of nothing doing in tobacco yet.

DRUGS AND DYES.—Some slight changes will be found in our quotations, though they are not material. The trade is active.

GRAIN.—Wheat is not coming in quite as freely as heretofore, and prices are somewhat stiffer. We quote 90c as the ruling figure. Rye has advanced slightly, and is now held at 50c.

GUNPOWDER has advanced a figure, and we now quote it at \$6.50 for Rifle, and \$4.50 for Blasting.

PROVISIONS.—Bacon is inactive, and we notice no change in quotations. The same is true with regard to other articles in Provisions, except Eggs, which are selling at 25c at wholesale.

We refer to our Price Current for further particulars.

ST. LOUIS MARKET. FRIDAY EVENING, September 7. The advices from Europe by the Atlantic, relative to an advance on breadstuffs, and the probable unfavorable weather for harvesting, has had some effect here, and prices to-day for wheat went up. Flour also became firmer, and yesterday's offerings were freely accepted. Hemp continues firm and active, with \$1.15 per ton attained for prime unfressed.

Wheat—Sale at the State Warehouse of 7 bids: 1st at \$1.15, 2d at \$1.10, 3d at \$1.05, 4th at \$1.00, 5th at \$0.95, 6th at \$0.90, 7th at \$0.85, 8th at \$0.80, 9th at \$0.75, 10th at \$0.70, 11th at \$0.65, 12th at \$0.60, 13th at \$0.55, 14th at \$0.50, 15th at \$0.45, 16th at \$0.40, 17th at \$0.35, 18th at \$0.30, 19th at \$0.25, 20th at \$0.20, 21st at \$0.15, 22nd at \$0.10, 23rd at \$0.05, 24th at \$0.00.

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NASHVILLE WHOLESALE PRICE CURRENT. (Continued.)

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BY TELEGRAPH. Further by the Africa. New York, Sept. 12.

The Asia arrived on the 24th. A paper found on a dead Russian General shows the attack on Tchernaya was a deliberate attempt to raise the siege—had they gained the heights the attack would have been made at four other points.

The Russian force consisted of 56,000 infantry, 6,000 cavalry and 160 guns. The French, 12,000 men, 4 batteries. The Russians fired the bridge and crowned heights three times, but were repulsed, their retreat being covered by batteries.

The French loss was, officers, 15 killed, 53 wounded—men, 175 killed, 1,500 missing, 1,160 wounded. The Russian loss was 250. Russian losses, 3,000 killed, 5,000 wounded, and 1,800 prisoners.

Rodan and Makoff were bombarded on the 17th with considerable effect. Gortschakoff telegraphs on the 27th:—"Affairs unchanged. The fire from the allies is occasionally heavy."

Simpson is reported sick. Gen. Denwick has assumed the command of the allies, and is preparing to cross Tchernaya.

The Bullfinch has retired from before Cronstadt. A Prussian circular indicates the position of that Government and the German Confederation the same as at this time last year.

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